

A Fine OTP Server

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- Cryptography, RSA
- 79 points
- Connect to OTP generator server, and try to find one OTP. nc 66.172.27.77 35156

So in the OTP server, they give us a RSA modulus, an encrypted message, and the function used to encrypt the message. The One Time Pads are encrypted with:

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def gen_otps():
    template_phrase = 'Welcome, dear customer, the secret passphrase for today is: '
    OTP_1 = template_phrase + gen_passphrase(18)
    OTP_2 = template_phrase + gen_passphrase(18)
    otp_1 = bytes_to_long(OTP_1)
    otp_2 = bytes_to_long(OTP_2)
    nbit, e = 2048, 3
    privkey = RSA.generate(nbit, e = e)
    pubkey = privkey.publickey().exportKey()
    n = getattr(privkey.key, 'n')
    r = otp_2 - otp_1
    if r < 0:
        r = -r
    IMP = n - r**(e**2)
    if IMP > 0:
        c_1 = pow(otp_1, e, n)
        c_2 = pow(otp_2, e, n)
    return pubkey, OTP_1[-18:], OTP_2[-18:], c_1, c_2
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The template phrase is 60 bytes long, and OTP_1 which includes the passphrase is 78 bytes, or 624 bits long. OTP_1^3 is on the order of $624 * 3$ bits long. $624 * 3 = 1872 < 2048$ bits, so this doesn't wrap around the modulus! We just need to take the cubed root of one of the given messages, and provide that to the server to get the flag.

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valar@valardeV-Vostro-3460-mint ~ $ nc 66.172.27.77 35156
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| Welcome to the S3cure OTP Generator |
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| Guess the OTP and get the nice flag!|
| Options:
|   [F]irst encrypted OTP
|   [S]econd encrypted OTP
|   [G]uess the OTP
|   [P]ublic key
|   [E]ncryption function
|   [Q]uit
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the public key is:
-----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----
MIIBIDANBgkqhkiG9w0BAQEFAAOCAQOAMIIBCAKCAQEAvdBapg5SXCJHVikgokUO c0LA67ftF9ZhIrqSETuq3M
nQIBAw==
-----END PUBLIC KEY-----
S 1342484916452752140375644505087019657103834926373832886072831761324991239454706093232
Now if we just take the cubed root in python, with the following:
>>> import gmpy
>>> S = 1342484916452752140375644505087019657103834926373832886072831761324991239454706
>>> a = 2376675038601117109652496533506255172634403067989101378768594357491999053567361
>>> import binascii
>>> binascii.unhexlify(hex(a)[2:-1])
'Welcome, dear customer, the secret passphrase for today is: UEcAoQ9pGZ16DCWPPi'

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If we enter UEcAoQ9pGZ16DCWPPi into our netcat session, we get our flag:
 ASIS{<some random hex here>}